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Ryoji SUZUKI et al.) Attn: Application Branch
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For: SOLIS-STATE IMAGE PICK-UP)
DEVICE, METHOD OF DRIVING THE)
SAME AND CAMERA SYSTEM)

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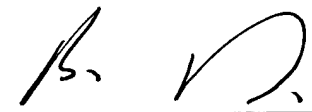
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Respectfully submitted,

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